

## CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I/We \_\_\_\_\_  
Principal  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_, California, as Principal, hereby appoint(s) the Director of the Department of Housing and Community Development as principal's true and lawful agent upon whom all process may be served in any action, or actions, which may thereafter be commenced against said principal, arising out of any claim for damages suffered by any firm, person, association or corporation by reason of the violation of said principal of any of the terms and provisions of the California Health and Safety Code. Principal further stipulates and agrees that, when personal service of process upon principal cannot be made in this State after due diligence, the service can be made upon the Director of the Department of Housing and Community Development, or in the event of the Director's absence from his/her office, that service can be made upon any employee of the State of California in charge of the Director's office and that such service of process shall be of the same legal force and effect as if served upon principal personally; that principal further stipulates and agrees that the agency created by said appointment shall continue for and during the period covered by any license that may be issued by the Department of Housing and Community Development and so long thereafter as the principal may be made to answer in damages for a violation of the California Health and Safety Code; principal further agrees that for purposes of venue, whenever service is made upon the Director, the service shall be deemed to have been made upon principal in the county in which principal has or last had his/her established place of business.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said principal has hereunto set his hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Principal

Title

### (INDIVIDUAL OR PARTNERSHIP ACKNOWLEDGMENT)

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_ before me personally came \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ to me known, and known to me to be

the person(s) \_\_\_\_\_ whose name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ subscribed to the within and \_\_\_\_\_

acknowledged to me that \_\_\_\_\_ Is or Are \_\_\_\_\_ executed same.

[NOTARIAL SEAL]

Notary Public

### (CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT)

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_ before me \_\_\_\_\_

personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, personally known to me,

or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person who executed this instrument as \_\_\_\_\_

or on behalf of the corporation therein named and acknowledged to me that the corporation executed it.

[NOTARIAL SEAL]

Notary Public